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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Pace et al. )  
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For: Surface Modified Particulate )  
Compositions of Biologically )  
Active Substances )

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 2, 2003, please amend application as set forth herein below:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 12 of this paper.

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